



VISION

Shape and own the future

To be a transforming, equitable, sustainable, and academically excellent University of Technology anchored in its communities.

MISSION

To offer technological, career-directed educational programmes focussing on the innovative problem-solving research and engage with government, business, industries and communities as end-users.

FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND ECONOMICS

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

(Human Settlements)

One-Year Fixed Contract

Key Performance Areas:

- Conduct innovative research focusing broadly on public administration issues, housing/human settlements, service delivery and disaster risk management.
- Co-author at least three publications output in DHET accredited journals.
- Present in national and international conferences.
- Ability to co-supervise relevant postgraduate research and/or collaborating with other postdoctoral fellows.
- Assist in mentoring junior staff and students through the sharing of knowledge.
- Initiate research-based projects within the department and write proposals for external funding opportunities.
- Assisting in overall management and contribute to the various activities of the Research projects.

Minimum Requirements:

- Doctor of Administration/Public Affairs or related discipline with background in Housing/Human Settlements/ Service Delivery, obtained within the past 5 years.
- International Postdoctoral Research Fellows must have a long-term visitor's visa endorsed for academic activities affiliated with MUT (Section 11(1)(b) Visitors Visa).
- Published at least 2 journal papers(DHET) public administration discipline in the last 24 months.
- Has not held full-time permanent academic or professional employment.

Competencies:

- Ability to work independently, develop projects, undertake research and meet deadlines.
- Excellent social and team working skills.
- High ethical standards; Innovative and Conscionable.
- Organizational skills.
- Fluent in written and spoken English.

Stipend: R300 000.00 per annum (tax-exempt).

Interested applicants should send (a) a motivation detailing the extent to which they meet the requirements of the position; (b) an application form (downloadable from www.mut.ac.za); (c) a Curriculum Vitae including a list of research publication, conference papers, and other scholarly outputs; (d) certified copies of academic qualifications plus academic records and proof of professional registration with a relevant professional body where applicable. **(Please provide academic transcripts and SAQA evaluation certificate, if qualifications were obtained outside South Africa)**; and (e) names of three contactable referees at email: hr@mut.ac.za copied mvuyana@mut.ac.za

Enquiries: Tel: (031) 907 7157

Closing Date: 16 August 2024

Mangosuthu University of Technology is committed to meeting the objectives of Employment Equity to improve representivity within the institution. Preference will be given to applicants from designated groups in accordance with our Employment Equity targets including people with disabilities.